UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION DOCKET NO. 3:17-cr-00121-MOC-DCK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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Vs.) ORDER
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LESTER TARR,)
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Defendant.)

THIS MATTER is before the Court on defendant's Motion to Seal sentencing memoranda. In accordance with the Local Rules, the Court has considered the Motion to Seal, the public's interest in access to such materials, and alternatives to sealing. The Court determines that no less restrictive means other than sealing is sufficient inasmuch as public filing of such sentencing materials could either reveal protected information under HIPPA or the E-Government Act, or reveal names of minors contained in supporting letters. The Court will, however, consider any request made in the future to unseal such materials. Having considered defendant's motion and reviewed the pleadings, the Court enters the following Order.

ORDER

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that defendant's Motion to Seal Sentencing Memoranda (#37) is **GRANTED**, and defendant's Sentencing Memoranda (#33 & #34) shall be sealed and remain sealed until further Order of this Court.

Signed: March 1, 2018

